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We are currently accepting applications for the following positions:

Vacancy Announcement No. / Position Title

FSN# 2015/24 (T) / Refrigeration & Air Conditioning Mechanic

FSN# 2015/24 / Refrigeration & Air Conditioning Mechanic

FSN# 2015/28 (T) / Engineering Assistant

FSN# 2015/28 / Engineering Assistant

FSN# 2015/29 (T) / Medical Research Scientist

FSN# 2015/29 / Medical Research Scientist

FSN# 2015/42 / Medical Research Technologist (Research Assistant)

FSN# 2015/83 (T) / Surveillance Detection Supervisor

FSN# 2015/83 / Surveillance Detection Supervisor

FSN# 2015/90 /Chauffeur (2 positions)

FSN# 2015/101 (T) / Cultural Affairs Assistant

FSN# 2015/101 / Cultural Affairs Assistant

FSN# 2015/106/ Printing Clerk

USAID - Vacancy Announcement No. / Position Title

FSN# 2015/92 / Project Development Specialist

FSN# 2015/98 / Acquisition and Assistance Assistant

U.S. Mission Bangkok

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT NUMBER: FSN# 2015/24 (T)

OPEN TO: All Interested Candidates / All Sources

POSITION: Refrigeration & Air Conditioning Mechanic, FSN-4, FP-AA, Trainee

OPENING DATE: February 20, 2015

CLOSING DATE: Until Filled

WORK HOURS: 40 hours/week

SALARY: Ordinarily Resident (OR): FSN-4, THB 251,050 per annum (Starting salary)

Not Ordinarily Resident (NOR): FP-AA (Position Grade to be confirmed by

Washington)

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BASIC FUNCTION OF POSITION

The incumbent performs full journeyman level in refrigeration and air conditioning trade. S/He also performs duties involved in installation, renovation, modification, preventive maintenance & repair, rebuilding of machines, equipment, components and control devices associated with refrigeration and air conditioning systems; including cooling, heating, ventilation and air circulation system for various government held properties.

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED

Applicants must address each required qualification listed below with specific and comprehensive information supporting each item. Failure to do so may result in a determination that the applicant is not qualified.

- **1. EDUCATION:** Completion of high vocational certificate from technical school. Must possess vocational training in air conditioning, maintenance and repair or preventive maintenance (approx. 3 years);
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- A MOH is under COM authority;
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- Has diplomatic privileges and immunities; and
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VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT NUMBER: FSN# 2015/24

OPEN TO: All Interested Candidates / All Sources

POSITION: Refrigeration & Air Conditioning Mechanic, FSN-5, FP-9

OPENING DATE: February 20, 2015

CLOSING DATE: Until Filled

WORK HOURS: 40 hours/week

SALARY: Ordinarily Resident (OR): FSN-5, THB 324,136 per annum (Starting salary)

Not Ordinarily Resident (NOR): FP-9 (Position Grade to be confirmed by

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U.S. Mission Bangkok

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT NUMBER: FSN# 2015/28 (T)

OPEN TO: All Interested Candidates / All Sources

POSITION: Engineering Assistant, FSN-8, FP-6, Trainee

OPENING DATE: March 6, 2015

CLOSING DATE: Until Filled

WORK HOURS: 40 hours/week

SALARY: Ordinarily Resident (OR): FSN-8, THB 574,907 per annum (Starting salary)

Not Ordinarily Resident (NOR): FP-6 (Position Grade to be confirmed by

Washington)

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The U.S. Mission in Bangkok is seeking eligible and qualified applicants for the position of Engineering Assistant.

BASIC FUNCTION OF POSITION

The Work cooperatively within the Engineering Division. The Job Holder will have primary responsibilities for quantity surveying, project supervision, inspection, and collaborative responsibility in project design.

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED

Applicants must address each required qualification listed below with specific and comprehensive information supporting each item. Failure to do so may result in a determination that the applicant is not qualified.

- **1. EDUCATION:** Bachelor's Degree in Mechanical or Electrical Engineering;
- **2. EXPERIENCE**: A minimum of two years progressive experience in maintenance and repair or construction engineering field from multinational organization. Must have an experience in direction and control of planning, design, construction, cost estimating, inspection of facilities, and scheduling work, including writing Bill of Materials, and preparing engineering/technical documents;
- **3. LANGUAGE:** Level IV (Fluent) speaking/reading/writing in Thai and English (must provide a copy of valid TOEIC score of at least 855 before the deadline; otherwise, application will not be considered);

4. SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

- Must have a first level of Thai Professional Engineering License and valid local driving license. (Copy of licenses is required with application);
- Ability to manage, supervise and train a maintenance workforce, manage large amounts of written data and documentation, read/interpret schematic diagrams, blueprints and technical handbooks;
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- Listed on the travel orders or approved Form OF-126 of a sponsoring employee, i.e., a direct-hire Foreign Service, Civil Service, or uniformed service member who is permanently assigned to or stationed abroad or, as appropriate, at an office of the American Institute in Taiwan; and resides at the sponsoring employee's post of assignment abroad, or as appropriate, at an office of the American Institute in Taiwan; and is under chief of mission authority; or

- resides at an Involuntary Separate Maintenance Allowance (ISMA) location authorized under 3 FAM 3232.2; or
- Currently receives a U.S. Government retirement annuity or pension from a career in the U.S. Foreign Service or Civil Service.

<u>Appointment Eligible Family Member (AEFM):</u> An AEFM is an individual who meets **all** of the following criteria:

- U.S. Citizen: and
- Spouse or same-sex domestic partner (as defined in 3 FAM 1610) of the sponsoring employee; or
- Child of the sponsoring employee who is unmarried and at least 18 years old; and
- Listed on the travel orders or approved Form OF-126 of a sponsoring employee, i.e., a direct-hire Foreign Service, Civil Service, or uniformed service member who is permanently assigned to or stationed abroad or, as appropriate, at an office of the American Institute in Taiwan (AIT); and
- Is under chief of mission authority; and
- Is residing at the sponsoring employee's post of assignment abroad or, as appropriate, at an office of the American Institute in Taiwan; **and**
- Does NOT currently receive a U.S. Government retirement annuity or pension from a career in the U.S. Foreign Service or Civil Service.

Member of Household (MOH): A MOH is an individual who meets all of the following criteria.

- A MOH is someone who accompanies or joins a direct-hire Foreign Service, Civil Service, or uniformed service member permanently assigned to or stationed abroad or, as appropriate, at an office of the American Institute in Taiwan; and
- A MOH must be officially declared to the COM by the sponsoring employee as part of his/her household; and
- A MOH is under COM authority;
- A MOH may include a parent, unmarried partner, other relative, or adult child;
- A MOH may or may not be a U.S. Citizen;
- A MOH is **not** an EFM;
- A MOH is **not** listed on the travel orders or approved Form F-126 of a sponsoring employee.

Not Ordinarily Resident (NOR) – An individual who meets the following criteria:

- An EFM, USEFM or AEFM of a direct-hire Foreign Service, Civil Service, or uniformed service
 member permanently assigned or stationed abroad, or as appropriate, at an office of the
 American Institute in Taiwan; or
- Has diplomatic privileges and immunities; and
- Is eligible for compensation under the FS or GS salary schedule; and
- Has a U.S. Social Security Number (SSN); and
- Is not a citizen of the host country; and
- Does not ordinarily reside in the host country; and
- Is not subject to host country employment and tax laws.

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- A non-citizen of the host country (including a U.S. citizen or a third-country national) who is locally resident and has legal and/or permanent resident status within the host country and/or who is a holder of a non-diplomatic visa/work and/or residency permit; and/or
- Is subject to host country employment and tax laws.

U.S. Mission Bangkok

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT NUMBER: FSN# 2015/28

OPEN TO: All Interested Candidates / All Sources

POSITION: Engineering Assistant, FSN-9, FP-5 (Step 1 thru 4)

OPENING DATE: March 6, 2015

CLOSING DATE: Until Filled

WORK HOURS: 40 hours/week

SALARY: Ordinarily Resident (OR): FSN-9, THB 640,463 per annum (Starting salary)

Not Ordinarily Resident (NOR): FP-5 (Step 1 thru 4) (Position Grade to be confirmed by Washington)

ALL ORDINARILY RESIDENT (OR) APPLICANTS (See Appendix A for definition) MUST HAVE THE REQUIRED WORK AND/OR RESIDENCY PERMITS TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR CONSIDERATION.

The U.S. Mission in Bangkok is seeking eligible and qualified applicants for the position of Engineering Assistant.

BASIC FUNCTION OF POSITION

The Work cooperatively within the Engineering Division. The Job Holder will have primary responsibilities for quantity surveying, project supervision, inspection, and collaborative responsibility in project design.

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED

Applicants must address each required qualification listed below with specific and comprehensive information supporting each item. Failure to do so may result in a determination that the applicant is not qualified.

- **1. EDUCATION:** Bachelor's Degree in Mechanical or Electrical Engineering;
- **2. EXPERIENCE**: A minimum of three years progressive experience in maintenance and repair or construction engineering field from multinational organization. Must have an experience in direction and control of planning, design, construction, cost estimating, inspection of facilities, and scheduling work, including writing Bill of Materials, and preparing engineering/technical documents;
- **3. LANGUAGE:** Level IV (Fluent) speaking/reading/writing in Thai and English (must provide a copy of valid TOEIC score of at least 855 before the deadline; otherwise, application will not be considered);

4. SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

- Must have a first level of Thai Professional Engineering License and valid local driving license. (Copy of licenses is required with application);
- Ability to manage, supervise and train a maintenance workforce, manage large amounts of written data and documentation, read/interpret schematic diagrams, blueprints and technical handbooks;
- Ability to operate computers in both English and Thai and work harmoniously with other Embassy personal;

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: The complete position description listing all of the duties and responsibilities may be obtained by contacting the Human Resources Office at bkkrecruitment@state.gov or call 02-205-4463.

SELECTION PROCESS: When qualified, applicants who are U.S. Citizen Eligible Family Members (USEFMs) and/or preference-eligible U.S. Veterans are given a preference in hiring. Therefore, it is

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HIRING PREFERENCE ORDER:

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HOW TO APPLY: Applicants must submit the following documents to be considered:

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- Parent (including stepparents and legally adoptive parents) of employee, spouse, or same-sex
 domestic partner, when such parent is at least 51 percent dependent on the employee for support;
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- Listed on the travel orders or approved Form OF-126 of a sponsoring employee, i.e., a direct-hire Foreign Service, Civil Service, or uniformed service member who is permanently assigned to or stationed abroad or, as appropriate, at an office of the American Institute in Taiwan; and
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- Is under chief of mission authority; and
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U.S. Mission Bangkok

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT NUMBER: FSN# 2015/29 (T)

OPEN TO: All Interested Candidates / All Sources

POSITION: Medical Research Scientist, FSN-9, FP-5(Step 1 thru 4), Trainee

OPENING DATE: March 6, 2015

CLOSING DATE: Until Filled

WORK HOURS: Full-time; 40/ hours/week

SALARY: Ordinarily Resident (OR): FSN-9 \(\Beta \) 653,272 per annum (Starting salary)

Not Ordinarily Resident (NOR): FP-5(Step 1 thru 4) (Position Grade to be

confirmed by Washington)

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The U.S. Mission in Bangkok (Rajvithi) is seeking eligible and qualified applicants for the position of Medical Research Scientist.

BASIC FUNCTIONS REQUIRED:

Serve as the supervisor of Molecular Genetics sub-section in the Department of Enteric Diseases. Responsible for the development of oligonucleotide primers and probes, Polymerase Chain Reaction(PCR), DNA Fingerprinting and DNA Sequencing techniques in the identification and detailed study of enteric pathogens causing diarrheal disease. Involve in planning stages of the study, recommends research approaches to senior scientists with full discussion of research objectives, research implications and alternatives. Selects appropriate laboratory procedures, makes modifications as needed for the research assignment and assures that laboratory results are properly maintained. Performs data analysis and involved in preparation of manuscripts for publication in scientific journals. Controls the quality of the laboratory work performed in the section.

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED

Applicants must address each required qualification listed below with specific and comprehensive information supporting each item. Failure to do so may result in a determination that the applicant is not qualified.

- 1. **EDUCATION:** Master degree in Molecular Biology, Biochemistry or Microbiology field;
- **2. EXPERIENCE:** At least four years experiences in conducting various types of molecular biology work:

3. LANGAGE: Level IV (Fluent) speaking/reading/writing in Thai and English (A copy of TOEIC score of at least 855 can be submitted after the deadline, but before interview. Only short listed candidates who are selected for interview will be notified);

4. SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

- Able to verify and analyze the results of the studies, prepare reports for publication or write established methodologies as Standard Operating Procedures (SOP);
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VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT NUMBER: FSN# 2015/29

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POSITION: Medical Research Scientist, FSN-10, FP-5(Step 5 thru 14)

OPENING DATE: March 6, 2015

CLOSING DATE: Until Filled

WORK HOURS: Full-time; 40/ hours/week

SALARY: Ordinarily Resident (OR): FSN-10 \B 863,567 per annum (Starting salary)

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- Is under chief of mission authority; and
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- A MOH must be officially declared to the COM by the sponsoring employee as part of his/her household; and

- A MOH is under COM authority;
- A MOH may include a parent, unmarried partner, other relative, or adult child;
- A MOH may or may not be a U.S. Citizen;
- A MOH is **not** an EFM;
- A MOH is **not** listed on the travel orders or approved Form F-126 of a sponsoring employee.

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 American Institute in Taiwan; or
- Has diplomatic privileges and immunities; and
- Is eligible for compensation under the FS or GS salary schedule; and
- Has a U.S. Social Security Number (SSN); and
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- Does not ordinarily reside in the host country; and
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- Is subject to host country employment and tax laws.

U.S. Mission Bangkok

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT NUMBER: FSN 2015/42

OPEN TO: All Interested Candidates / All Sources

POSITION: Medical Research Technologist, FSN-9, FP-5 (step 1 thru 4)

OPENING DATE: April 24, 2015

CLOSING DATE: Until Filled

WORK HOURS: Full-time; 40 hours/week

SALARY: Ordinarily Resident (OR): FSN-9 \$640,463 per annum (Starting salary)

Not Ordinarily Resident (NOR): FP-5 (step 1 thru 4) (Position Grade to be

confirmed by Washington)

LENGTH OF EMPLOYMENT: This is a Fixed-Term position not to exceed four year from date of hire.

ALL ORDINARILY RESIDENT (OR) APPLICANTS (See Appendix A for definition) MUST HAVE THE REQUIRED WORK AND/OR RESIDENCY PERMITS TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR CONSIDERATION.

The U.S. Mission in Bangkok (Pak Kret, Nonthaburi) is seeking eligible and qualified applicants for the position of Medical Research Technologist.

BASIC FUNCTION OF POSITION

Plans, oversees, coordinates, and supervises influenza study activities in accordance with study design, protocols, and other agreed upon procedures within the Program conducted by CDC in collaboration with the Ministry of Public Health, the Bangkok Metropolitan Administration, medical and governmental universities/ institutes. Provide implementation guidance and technical support to 5-10 staff hired and funded under CDC's Cooperative agreement with the MOPH for 2 to 3 concurrent research studies to ensure accurate completion of study procedures.

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED

Applicants must address each required qualification listed below with specific and comprehensive information supporting each item. Failure to do so may result in a determination that the applicant is not qualified.

1. EDUCATION: Master of Public Health, Master of Science in Public Health, Biology, Microbiology or related scientific field is required;

- **2. EXPERIENCE**: At least three years progressively responsible work in clinical trial, infections program, or other public health program management, including direct technical experience with epidemiology program is required;
- **3. LANGUAGE:** Level IV (Fluent) speaking/reading/writing in English (A copy of TOEIC score of at least **855** can be submitted after the deadline, but before interview. Only short listed candidates who are selected for interview will be notified);

4. SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

• Must be able to make appropriate departures from research study protocols and to develop detailed methods not specified in protocols.

5. JOB KNOWLEDGE:

• A thorough knowledge of epidemiology research methods and procedures is required

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: The complete position description listing all of the duties and responsibilities may be obtained by contacting the Human Resources Office at bkkrecruitment@state.gov or call 02-205-4463.

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IMPORTANT: Applicants claiming a U.S. Veteran's preference must submit written documentation confirming eligibility (e.g., Member Copy 4 of Form DD-214, Letter from the Veteran's Administration, or certification documenting eligibility under the VOW Act with an expected discharge no later than 120 days after the certification is submitted) by the closing date of the vacancy announcement. If the written documentation confirming eligibility is not received in the HR office by the closing date of the vacancy announcement, the U.S. Veteran's preference will not be considered in the application process. Specific criteria for receiving a U.S. Veteran's preference may be found in HR/OE's Family Member Employment Policy (FMEP).

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U.S. Mission Bangkok

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT FSN#2015/83 (T)

OPEN TO: All Interested Candidates / All Sources

POSITION: Surveillance Detection Supervisor, FSN-4, FP-AA (Trainee)

OPENING DATE: September 4, 2015

CLOSING DATE: Until Filled

WORK HOURS: Full-time; 40 hours/week

SALARY: Ordinarily Resident (OR): FSN-4 B 251,050 per annum (Starting salary)

Not Ordinarily Resident (NOR): FP-AA (Position Grade to be confirmed by

Washington)

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The U.S. Mission in Bangkok (Chiang Mai) is seeking eligible and qualified applicants for the position of Surveillance Detection Supervisor.

BASIC FUNCTION OF POSITION

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QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED

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1. EDUCATION: Completion of High School or equivalent (Mathayom 6);

2. EXPERIENCE: Six months of surveillance detection experience;

3. LANGUAGE: Level IV (Fluent) speaking/reading/writing in Thai and Level I (Rudimentary Knowledge) speaking/reading/writing in English (Provide a copy of valid TOEIC score of at least **250**, or pass the English Placement Test (EPT) that is conducted by the Regional Human Resources Office);

4. SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

- Ability to drive and possess a valid Thai driver's license (a copy of Thai driver's license is required with application);
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U.S. Mission Bangkok

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT FSN#2015/83

OPEN TO: All Interested Candidates / All Sources

POSITION: Surveillance Detection Supervisor, FSN-5, FP-9

OPENING DATE: September 4, 2015

CLOSING DATE: Until Filled

WORK HOURS: Full-time; 40 hours/week

SALARY: Ordinarily Resident (OR): FSN-5 **B** 324,136 per annum (Starting salary)

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HOW TO APPLY: Applicants must submit the following documents to be considered:

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IMPORTANT: Applicants claiming a U.S. Veteran's preference must submit written documentation confirming eligibility (e.g., Member Copy 4 of Form DD-214, Letter from the Veteran's Administration, or certification documenting eligibility under the VOW Act with an expected discharge no later than 120 days after the certification is submitted) by the closing date of the vacancy announcement. If the written documentation confirming eligibility is not received in the HR office by the closing date of the vacancy announcement, the U.S. Veteran's preference will not be considered in the application process. Specific criteria for receiving a U.S. Veteran's preference may be found in HR/OE's Family Member Employment Policy (FMEP).

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WHERE TO APPLY:

Human Resources Office Talent Recruitment and Staffing Unit

E-mail Address: bkkrecruitment@state.gov

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- Spouse or same-sex domestic partner (as defined in 3 FAM 1610); or
- Child, who is unmarried and under 21 years of age or, regardless of age, is incapable of self-support. The term "child" shall include, in addition to natural offspring, stepchild, adopted child, and a child under legal guardianship of employee, spouse, or same-sex domestic partner when such child is expected to be under legal guardianship until 21 years of age and when dependent upon and normally residing with the guardian; or
- Parent (including stepparents and legally adoptive parents) of employee, spouse, or same-sex domestic partner, when such parent is at least 51 percent dependent on the employee for support; or
- Sister or brother (including stepsisters and stepbrothers, or adoptive sisters or brothers) of the employee, spouse, or same-sex domestic partner when such sibling is at least 51 percent dependent on the employee for support, unmarried, and under 21 years of age, or regardless of age, incapable of self-support; and

- Listed on the travel orders or approved Form OF-126 of a sponsoring employee, i.e., a direct-hire Foreign Service, Civil Service, or uniformed service member who is permanently assigned to or stationed abroad or, as appropriate, at an office of the American Institute in Taiwan; and
- Is under chief of mission authority.

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- U.S. Citizen: and
- Spouse or same-sex domestic partner (as defined in 3 FAM 1610) of the sponsoring employee; or
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- resides at an Involuntary Separate Maintenance Allowance (ISMA) location authorized under 3 FAM 3232.2; **or**
- Currently receives a U.S. Government retirement annuity or pension from a career in the U.S. Foreign Service or Civil Service.

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- Spouse or same-sex domestic partner (as defined in 3 FAM 1610) of the sponsoring employee; or
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- Is under chief of mission authority; and
- Is residing at the sponsoring employee's post of assignment abroad or, as appropriate, at an office of the American Institute in Taiwan; **and**
- Does NOT currently receive a U.S. Government retirement annuity or pension from a career in the U.S. Foreign Service or Civil Service.

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- A MOH is someone who accompanies or joins a direct-hire Foreign Service, Civil Service, or uniformed service member permanently assigned to or stationed abroad or, as appropriate, at an office of the American Institute in Taiwan; and
- A MOH must be officially declared to the COM by the sponsoring employee as part of his/her household; and
- A MOH is under COM authority;
- A MOH may include a parent, unmarried partner, other relative, or adult child;
- A MOH may or may not be a U.S. Citizen;
- A MOH is **not** an EFM;

• A MOH is **not** listed on the travel orders or approved Form F-126 of a sponsoring employee.

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- An EFM, USEFM or AEFM of a direct-hire Foreign Service, Civil Service, or uniformed service member permanently assigned or stationed abroad, or as appropriate, at an office of the American Institute in Taiwan; or
- Has diplomatic privileges and immunities; and
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- Has a U.S. Social Security Number (SSN); and
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- Is subject to host country employment and tax laws.

U.S. Mission Bangkok

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT NUMBER: FSN#2015/90 (2 positions)

OPEN TO: All Interested Candidates / All Sources

POSITION: Chauffeur, FSN-3; FP-BB

OPENING DATE: October 9, 2015

CLOSING DATE: Until Filled

WORK HOURS: Full-time; 48 hours/week

SALARY: Ordinarily Resident (OR): FSN-3 \$\pm\$ 263,482 per annum (Starting salary)

Not Ordinarily Resident (NOR): FP-BB

ALL ORDINARILY RESIDENT (OR) APPLICANTS (See Appendix A for definition) MUST HAVE THE REQUIRED WORK AND/OR RESIDENCY PERMITS TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR CONSIDERATION.

The U.S. Mission in Bangkok is seeking eligible and qualified applicants for the position of Chauffeur.

BASIC FUNCTION OF POSITION

Drive motor pool sedans, station wagons, trucks and/or buses used in transporting personnel, supplies and equipment for the Embassy and supported agencies. Assignments may involve working extended hours, on weekends or on holidays.

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED

Applicants must address each required qualification listed below with specific and comprehensive information supporting each item. Failure to do so may result in a determination that the applicant is not qualified.

- 1. **EDUCATION:** Completion of Secondary school (Mathayom 6) is required;
- 2. **EXPERIENCE**: Two years experience as a professional chauffeur is required;
- 3. **LANGUAGE:** Level II (limited knowledge) speaking/reading/writing Thai and English (Provide a copy of valid TOEIC score of at least **400**, or pass the English Placement Test (EPT) that is conducted by the Regional Human Resources Office);

4. SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

 Familiarity with the Bangkok road system, the location of Thai government offices and nearby cities;

- Ability to drive (*will be tested*) and possess a valid Thai driver's license (a copy of Thai driver's license is required with application);
- Basic automotive mechanical ability is required.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: The complete position description listing all of the duties and responsibilities may be obtained by contacting the Human Resources Office at bkkrecruitment@state.gov or call 02-205-4463.

SELECTION PROCESS: When qualified, applicants who are U.S. Citizen Eligible Family Members (USEFMs) and/or preference-eligible U.S. Veterans are given a preference in hiring. Therefore, it is essential that these applicants make themselves known as having a hiring preference and specifically address the required qualifications above in their application.

HIRING PREFERENCE ORDER:

- (1) USEFM who is ALSO a preference-eligible U.S. Veteran
- (2) USEFM OR a preference-eligible U.S. Veteran
- (3) FS on LWOP

ADDITIONAL SELECTION CRITERIA:

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FSN# 2015/92

Project Development Specialist

OPEN TO: All Interested Candidates (*This is a re-advertisement of announcement from October 9, 2015. Applications previously received will also be considered*)

POSITION: Project Development Specialist, FSN-10

OPENING DATE: November 20, 2015

CLOSING DATE: December 3, 2015

WORK HOURS: Full-time; 40 hours/week

SALARY: FSN-10 \$863,567 per annum (Starting salary)

APPLICANTS MUST HAVE THE REQUIRED RESIDENCY PERMITS TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR CONSIDERATION.

The U.S. Embassy in Bangkok is seeking an individual for the position of Project Development Specialist in the U.S. Agency for International Development/Regional Development Mission for Asia (USAID/RDMA), located at Athenee Tower, Wireless Road, Bangkok.

JOB SUMMARY:

The Project Development Specialist (PDS) serves as one of the key Program Development Office (PDO) backstops and point of contacts with USAID/RDMA technical managers and support offices focused on areas such as Environment, Health, Economic Growth, and Democracy and Governance. The PDS leads and coordinates preparations of the USAID component of the annual joint State-USAID Mission Resource Request (MRR), Congressional Budget Justification (CBJ) and Operational Plans (OPs), as well as USAID's Congressional Notification (CN) and Performance Plan and Report (PPR) for the Regional, China, Laos and Thailand Operating Units.

The PDS also supports the PDO budget analyst on program budget planning, budget analysis, budget tracking, entering and up-dating, presentation, and advises on Agency requirements and procedures; also guides and supports project design, and advises and manages on approval documents, unsolicited proposals, procurement requests, semi-annual and annual portfolio performance reviews and reports, program pipeline reviews, and back-up contact for the PDO budget analyst for Asia and Middle East Bureau program office with respect to regional and country-level budget allocation and required budget reporting.

MAJOR RESPONSIBILITIES:

Technical Office Backstop, Program Operations and Portfolio Implementation; Monitoring, Budget Analysis, and Budget Cycle Management. Detailed responsibilities include the following:

• Serve as one of the key PDO backstops and point of contacts with USAID RDMA technical managers and support offices focusing on areas such as Environment, Health, Economic Growth, and Democracy and Governance. Liaise with the technical offices on the Program Office

requirements and services including planning and reporting, portfolio implementation, budget and pipeline reviews, and procurement planning.

- Review and analyze procurement related documents (for example Action Memos, Scopes of Work and Program Descriptions) and ensure all requirements are met prior to obligation/commitment of funds. Work with Program Office staff to develop improved systems that will provide the technical teams with information and tools to become more productive and efficient.
- Coordinate, review documentation used to approve obligation of new fiscal year funding to ongoing and new activities, and draft annual Mission Resource Request, Operational Plans, Congressional Notifications and Performance Plan and Report.
- Strategic planning and support the project design team, and advise/guide technical offices in project design preparation, review and approval processes, making sure the Agency's policies, directions, and processes followed during the project design stage.
- Work with the PDO budget analyst in providing high level technical support to PDO and other RDMA technical offices in program budget planning, analysis, tracking and presentation and advises on Agency requirements and procedures.
- Design and prepare analytical tables to track earmarks and directives and for special program
 planning and budgeting reports, including country, program objectives/areas/elements and
 project data reports requested by the Congress, USAID/W, Ambassadors, the Mission Director,
 host governments, and other donors or clients. Coach Mission teams to use budget data, conduct
 pipeline analyses and analyze budget and expenditure trends.
- Work on other Program Office functions as tasked by the PDO Office Director/Deputy and the PDO core teams. This may include monitoring and evaluation, portfolio implementation and program operations, participating in and supporting PDO's USAID Forward implementation plan and meetings, participating on technical evaluation teams and communicating agency policy, and planning and implementation decisions at official meetings and events.

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED AND SELECTION CRITERIA:

All applications must address each selection criterion detailed below with specific and comprehensive information supporting each item in DS-174 block no. 19-22. If the application submitted fails to demonstrate eligibility, the application will be marked unqualified. It is the responsibility of the applicant to provide all pertinent information.

- (1) **Education:** Master's degree in a field relevant to development assistance, such as public administration, business administration, development planning or other related field of study in Sciences or Social Sciences is required.
- (2) **Experience** (35 points): At least five (5) years of progressively responsible, professional experience in the indicated field of designing and managing development assistance programs

including experience in the analysis and interpretation of data, the presentation of findings in written and oral form, and some experience in financial management in the public or private sector is required.

- (3) Language: Level IV (Fluent), strong written and oral proficiency in English is required.
- (4) **Knowledge** (30 points): Understanding of detailed policies, regulations, procedures and documentation governing program/project development, implementation and financing is required. Knowledge of the development strategy including new program framework, concepts, principles, techniques and practice of development assistance and program design, budgeting and budget cycle management, implementation, monitoring and evaluation is required.

(5) Skills and Abilities (35 points):

- Must possess excellent English writing skills, be experienced in strategy development, activity design and implementation, and adapt readily to changing work environments.
- Must have the ability to analyze development strategies, and manage a variety of activities and data under tight deadlines including financial information, and presentation in concise form is required.
- Must possess the ability to analyze qualitative and quantitative data and provide succinct written reports that require minimal editing, including financial is required.
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills, teamwork, organizational skills, creativity and flexibility are required.
- Must have the ability to work effectively on multiple tasks under intense time pressure and communicate effectively orally and in writing are required.
- Must be proficient in MS Word, PowerPoint, Excel (particularly pivot table), the Internet and the presentation of material incorporating effective graphics.

SELECTION PROCESS

Applications will be initially screened and scored for eligibility in accordance with the required qualifications and points mentioned above. To be considered for candidacy, applicants must address each criterion in their application as to how they meet the minimum qualifications for this position. Top-ranked candidates who meet the minimum qualification will be given a recruitment test. The recruitment test and interview will be structured around the selection criteria above. Applicants with passing marks from recruitment test and with a valid TOEIC score of 855 or above will be invited for an interview. Recruitment test and interview will be conducted in USAID/RDMA Bangkok, Thailand. USAID/RDMA will screen for nepotism/conflict of interest in determining successful candidacy. Reference checks will be conducted once the applicant pool is narrowed down to the top candidate(s). Only shortlisted candidates for final interview will be notified of the selection result. Internal candidates must have successfully completed a one year probationary period of employment before being eligible to apply.

TO APPLY:

Please follow the check lists and submission guidelines, posted on the official website: http://bangkok.usembassy.gov/job_opportunities.html carefully and submit complete application package thru bkkrecruitment@state.gov before the deadline.

Failure to follow the instructions will invalidate your application.

CLOSING DATE FOR THE POSITION: December 3, 2015

FSN# 2015/98

Acquisition and Assistance Assistant

OPEN TO: All Interested Candidates

POSITION: Acquisition and Assistance Assistant, FSN-8

OPENING DATE: October 30, 2015

CLOSING DATE: November 26, 2015

WORK HOURS: Full-time; 40 hours/week

SALARY: FSN-8 \$586,405 per annum (Starting salary)

APPLICANTS MUST HAVE THE REQUIRED RESIDENCY PERMITS TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR CONSIDERATION.

The U.S. Embassy in Bangkok is seeking an individual for the position of Acquisition and Assistance Assistant in the U.S. Agency for International Development/Regional Development Mission for Asia (USAID/RDMA), located at Athenee Tower, Wireless Road, Bangkok.

JOB SUMMARY:

The Acquisition and Assistance (A&A) Assistant (A&A Support) position is located in the Regional Office of Procurement (ROP), at the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) Regional Development Mission for Asia (RDMA). The A&A Assistant provides a full range of A&A and administrative support to the ROP Office Director, Deputy Director and other ROP staff. He/she will provide support in the following areas: A&A awards administration, tracking, contractors' past performance reports and A&A documentation compliance (paper and electronic files) and provide administrative support to ROP staff.

MAJOR RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. Acquisition & Assistance support (anticipated at 70% of time)

The incumbent, under the close guidance and direction of the A&A Specialists, is responsible for providing basic A&A support to the ROP. The activities that he/she would support are implemented through complex U.S. Government contracting and grant mechanisms requiring the incumbent to become familiar with the full range of USAID's A&A terminology, instruments and approaches.

 Tracks and manages the contractor performance information for acquisition mechanisms handled by ROP. Serves as Mission Focal Point for the Contractor Performance Assessment Reporting System (CPARS) and responsible for the collection, distribution, and control of contractors' performance reports as well as coordinate CPARS access (create User IDs/passwords) for all Contracting Officer's Representatives (COR) in the Mission and client missions.

- Responsible for compliance in A&A documentation, both electronic and hard copy, as applicable. Electronic filing is completed through the Agency Secure Image and Storage Tracking System (ASIST). Files awards and modifications in ASIST after an award/modification is executed for his/her designated portfolios. Supports A&A Specialists in uploading additional documentation in ASIST when necessary ensuring that the files are properly documented.
- Manages existing A&A paper files and vital records and reporting. Coordinates closely with the Administrative Assistant to ensure filing is complete and appropriate and maintains and streamlines ROP's tracking systems. He/she will be required to obtain a complete knowledge of official files' retention and destruction rules mandated by the Federal Acquisition Regulations (FAR) and other internal Agency guidelines, and will be required to ensure retention and destruction of official files is completed in an appropriate and timely manner.
- Maintains and streamlines ROP's tracking systems. This includes various A&A databases, Excel sheets and documents. The data to be monitored, updated and tracked includes but is not limited to: active awards and associated tally sheets, expired awards, completed A&A actions, planned procurements, status of CPARS reports, audit reports and contact list of implementing partners (IPs). Manages the list of RDMA's Contracting/Agreement Officer's Representatives (COR/AORs) and support documentation regarding their certification. He/she will be required to produce reports for ad-hoc data calls such as the obligated amount under certain period of time, report on the type of awards and organizations.
- As a basic function, the incumbent is expected to distribute new awards and modifications to existing awards to designated points of contact at RDMA, client missions and IPs. He/she drafts and distributes COR/AOR designation letters and other letters and memoranda, as necessary.
- The incumbent will perform less complex procurement actions, including incremental funding and administrative modifications, purchase orders and other A&A actions as necessary. The incumbent will process A&A actions in the Global Acquisition and Assistance System (GLAAS), as needed. Supports A&A Specialists with production of A&A materials to support a wide range of procurement actions such as documents for technical and cost evaluations.

2. Administrative Services (anticipated at 30% of time)

- Works closely and collaboratively with the ROP Director, Deputy Director and ROP staff in planning, establishing priorities, organizing, and carrying out administrative support functions within the office.
- Serves as alternate timekeeper for ROP staff; collects, reviews, prepares and submits timesheets into the Time & Attendance system, WebTA, as well as paper timesheets for local staff, and keeps regular communication with the Financial Management Office in order to keep abreast of any requirements to ensure correctness of payroll and leave records.
- Serves as alternate in the management of official travel arrangements for the ROP Director and ROP staff in coordination with the travel agency assistant and other concerned offices. This includes the preparation of travel requests, travel vouchers and other documents related to ROP staff travel.

- As alternate and in the absence of the Administrative Assistant, coordination of meetings for the ROP Director and ROP Deputy Director, maintains record of incoming correspondence for ROP such as official mail, memoranda, official travel arrangements, timekeeper for ROP staff, maintains adequate stocks of office supplies; requisitions supplies and/or any services for ROP staff.
- Supports logistics for ROP-led trainings, ROP events and meetings working closely with Asia Regional Training Center staff and IT staff.

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED AND SELECTION CRITERIA:

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- (6) **Education:** A Bachelor's degree in a relevant field such as business administration, economics, finance, accounting, international development, or other related field of study is required.
- (7) **Experience** (25 points): At least three (3) years of progressively responsible administrative support experience is required. Out of this at least one year experience in an international organization is required.
- (8) Language: Level IV (Fluent), strong written and oral proficiency in English and Thai are required.
- (9) Knowledge (35 points): Good working knowledge of relevant services in order to ensure effective and efficient operations; knowledge of office management principles, methods, and procedures to complete work assignments; basic knowledge of financial principles; knowledge of sorting/filing techniques and records retention policies and schedules to maintain accurate records; knowledge of database management; knowledge of general procurement regulations and procedures is required.

(10) Skills and Abilities (40 points):

- Ability to work effectively in a broad range of functions related to the duties and responsibilities; achieve results with high quality of output; apply critical thinking skills to solve work-related problems within the scope of work.
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills, teamwork, organizational skills, creativity and flexibility is required.
- Must have the ability to work effectively on multiple tasks under intense time pressure and communicate effectively orally and in writing are required.
- Must be computer savvy, and must be proficient in MS Word, PowerPoint, Excel, e-mail, the Internet and Google applications. Must have demonstrated ability to learn and use new sofware given the requirement to use multiple Agency specific software.

SELECTION PROCESS

Applications will be initially screened and scored for eligibility in accordance with the required qualifications and points mentioned above. To be considered for candidacy, applicants must address each criterion in their application as to how they meet the minimum qualifications for this position. Top-ranked candidates who meet the minimum qualification with a valid TOEIC tests result indicating a score of 855 or above will be given a recruitment test. The recruitment test and interview will be structured around the selection criteria above. Applicants with passing marks from recruitment test will be invited for an interview. Recruitment test and interview will be conducted in USAID/RDMA Bangkok, Thailand. USAID/RDMA will screen for nepotism/conflict of interest in determining successful candidacy. Reference checks will be conducted once the applicant pool is narrowed down to the top candidate(s). Only shortlisted candidates for final interview will be notified of the selection result. Internal candidates must have successfully completed a one year probationary period of employment before being eligible to apply.

TO APPLY:

Please follow the check lists and submission guidelines, posted on the official website: http://bangkok.usembassy.gov/job_opportunities.html carefully and submit complete application package thru bkkrecruitment@state.gov before the deadline.

Failure to follow the instructions will invalidate your application.

CLOSING DATE FOR THE POSITION: November 26, 2015

U.S. Mission Bangkok

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT FSN#2015/101 (T)

OPEN TO: All Interested Candidates / All Sources

POSITION: Cultural Affairs Assistant, FSN-8, FP-6

OPENING DATE: November 13, 2015

CLOSING DATE: December 3, 2015

WORK HOURS: Full-time; 40 hours/week

SALARY: Ordinarily Resident (OR): FSN-8 \$ 586,405 per annum (Starting salary)

Not Ordinarily Resident (NOR): FP-6 (Position Grade to be confirmed by

Washington)

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The U.S. Mission in Bangkok (Chiang Mai) is seeking eligible and qualified applicants for the position of Cultural Affairs Assistant.

BASIC FUNCTION OF POSITION

The incumbent is recognized as the Locally-Employed Staff expert in local culture, program planning and execution, and on the Consulate's relations with local media. S/He serves as the principal LE Staff advisor and assistant to the Consul General and Public Diplomacy Officer in planning, developing, administering, and implementing the full range of public diplomacy programs, as well as in developing and maintaining key contacts.

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED

Applicants must address each required qualification listed below with specific and comprehensive information supporting each item. Failure to do so may result in a determination that the applicant is not qualified.

- **1. EDUCATION:** Bachelor's degree in liberal arts subjects, political sciences, international relations is required;
- **2. EXPERIENCE**: Four years of progressive experience in public relations with mid-level contacts and/or university teaching is required;

3. LANGUAGE: Level IV (Fluent) speaking/reading/writing in Thai and English (must provide a copy of valid TOEIC score of at least 855 before the deadline; otherwise, application will not be considered). (*Translation will be tested*)

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: The complete position description listing all of the duties and responsibilities may be obtained by contacting the Human Resources Office at bkkrecruitment@state.gov or call 02-205-4463.

SELECTION PROCESS: When qualified, applicants who are U.S. Citizen Eligible Family Members (USEFMs) and/or preference-eligible U.S. Veterans are given a preference in hiring. Therefore, it is essential that these applicants make themselves known as having a hiring preference and specifically address the required qualifications above in their application.

HIRING PREFERENCE ORDER:

- (1) USEFM who is ALSO a preference-eligible U.S. Veteran
- (2) USEFM OR a preference-eligible U.S. Veteran
- (3) FS on LWOP

ADDITIONAL SELECTION CRITERIA:

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- 4. The candidate must be able to obtain and hold a security and medical clearance.
- 5. Candidates who are EFMs, USEFMs, AEFMs, or MOHs must have at least nine months remaining on their sponsor's tour of duty to be considered eligible to apply for this position.

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 domestic partner, when such parent is at least 51 percent dependent on the employee for support;
 or
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- Listed on the travel orders or approved Form OF-126 of a sponsoring employee, i.e., a direct-hire Foreign Service, Civil Service, or uniformed service member who is permanently assigned to or stationed abroad or, as appropriate, at an office of the American Institute in Taiwan; and
- Is under chief of mission authority.

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- U.S. Citizen: and
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- Child of the sponsoring employee who is unmarried and at least 18 years old; and
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- resides at an Involuntary Separate Maintenance Allowance (ISMA) location authorized under 3 FAM 3232.2; or
- Currently receives a U.S. Government retirement annuity or pension from a career in the U.S. Foreign Service or Civil Service.

<u>Appointment Eligible Family Member (AEFM):</u> An AEFM is an individual who meets **all** of the following criteria:

- U.S. Citizen: and
- Spouse or same-sex domestic partner (as defined in 3 FAM 1610) of the sponsoring employee; or
- Child of the sponsoring employee who is unmarried and at least 18 years old; and
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- Is under chief of mission authority; and
- Is residing at the sponsoring employee's post of assignment abroad or, as appropriate, at an office of the American Institute in Taiwan; and
- Does NOT currently receive a U.S. Government retirement annuity or pension from a career in the U.S. Foreign Service or Civil Service.

Member of Household (MOH): A MOH is an individual who meets all of the following criteria.

- A MOH is someone who accompanies or joins a direct-hire Foreign Service, Civil Service, or uniformed service member permanently assigned to or stationed abroad or, as appropriate, at an office of the American Institute in Taiwan; and
- A MOH must be officially declared to the COM by the sponsoring employee as part of his/her household; and
- A MOH is under COM authority;
- A MOH may include a parent, unmarried partner, other relative, or adult child;
- A MOH may or may not be a U.S. Citizen;
- A MOH is **not** an EFM:
- A MOH is **not** listed on the travel orders or approved Form F-126 of a sponsoring employee.

Not Ordinarily Resident (NOR) – An individual who meets the following criteria:

- An EFM, USEFM or AEFM of a direct-hire Foreign Service, Civil Service, or uniformed service
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 American Institute in Taiwan; or
- Has diplomatic privileges and immunities; and
- Is eligible for compensation under the FS or GS salary schedule; and
- Has a U.S. Social Security Number (SSN); and
- Is not a citizen of the host country; and
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- Is subject to host country employment and tax laws.

U.S. Mission Bangkok

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT FSN#2015/101

OPEN TO: All Interested Candidates / All Sources

POSITION: Cultural Affairs Assistant, FSN-9, FP-5(Step 1 thru 4)

OPENING DATE: November 13, 2015

CLOSING DATE: December 3, 2015

WORK HOURS: Full-time; 40 hours/week

SALARY: Ordinarily Resident (OR): FSN-9 \$\(653,272 \) per annum (Starting salary)

Not Ordinarily Resident (NOR): FP-5(Step 1 thru 4) (Position Grade to be

confirmed by Washington)

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The U.S. Mission in Bangkok (Chiang Mai) is seeking eligible and qualified applicants for the position of Cultural Affairs Assistant.

BASIC FUNCTION OF POSITION

The incumbent is recognized as the Locally-Employed Staff expert in local culture, program planning and execution, and on the Consulate's relations with local media. S/He serves as the principal LE Staff advisor and assistant to the Consul General and Public Diplomacy Officer in planning, developing, administering, and implementing the full range of public diplomacy programs, as well as in developing and maintaining key contacts.

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED

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- Listed on the travel orders or approved Form OF-126 of a sponsoring employee, i.e., a direct-hire Foreign Service, Civil Service, or uniformed service member who is permanently assigned to or stationed abroad or, as appropriate, at an office of the American Institute in Taiwan; and
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- Is subject to host country employment and tax laws.

U.S. Mission Bangkok

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT NUMBER: 2015/106

OPEN TO: All Interested Candidates / All Sources

POSITION: Printing Clerk

OPENING DATE: November 20, 2015

CLOSING DATE: December 3, 2015

WORK HOURS: Full-time, 40 hours/week

SALARY:

Ordinarily Resident (OR): FSN-3, starting salary 219,568 p.a.

Not-Ordinarily Resident (NOR): FP-BB*

*Final grade/step for NORs will be determined by Washington.

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The U.S. Mission in Bangkok is seeking eligible and qualified applicants for the position of Printing Clerk.

BASIC FUNCTION OF POSITION

Serve as Printing Clerk in Information Resources Management (IRM)/Print Shop. Under the supervision of the Printing supervisor, prepares and scans paper vouchers using a digital scanner and computer.

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED

Applicants must address each required qualification listed below with specific and comprehensive information supporting each item. Failure to do so may result in a determination that the applicant is not qualified.

- 1. **EDUCATION:** Completion of secondary schooling is required.
- 2. **EXPERIENCE**: At least two years' general work experience is required.
- 3. **LANGUAGE:** Level 2 (Limited Knowledge) Speaking/Reading/Writing of Thai and English (must provide a copy of valid TOEIC score of at least 400 before the deadline, or pass the English Placement Test (EPT) that is conducted by the Regional Human Resources Office) is required.

4. SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

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- Does NOT currently receive a U.S. Government retirement annuity or pension from a career in the U.S. Foreign Service or Civil Service.

Member of Household (MOH): A MOH is an individual who meets all of the following criteria.

- A MOH is someone who accompanies or joins a direct-hire Foreign Service, Civil Service, or uniformed service member permanently assigned to or stationed abroad or, as appropriate, at an office of the American Institute in Taiwan; and
- A MOH must be officially declared to the COM by the sponsoring employee as part of his/her household; and
- A MOH is under COM authority;
- A MOH may include a parent, unmarried partner, other relative, or adult child;
- A MOH may or may not be a U.S. Citizen;
- A MOH is **not** an EFM:
- A MOH is **not** listed on the travel orders or approved Form F-126 of a sponsoring employee.

Not Ordinarily Resident (NOR) – An individual who meets the following criteria:

- An EFM, USEFM or AEFM of a direct-hire Foreign Service, Civil Service, or uniformed service
 member permanently assigned or stationed abroad, or as appropriate, at an office of the
 American Institute in Taiwan; or
- Has diplomatic privileges and immunities; and
- Is eligible for compensation under the FS or GS salary schedule; and
- Has a U.S. Social Security Number (SSN); and
- Is not a citizen of the host country; and
- Does not ordinarily reside in the host country; and
- Is <u>not</u> subject to host country employment and tax laws.

Ordinarily Resident (OR) – An individual who meets the following criteria:

- A citizen of the host country; or
- A non-citizen of the host country (including a U.S. citizen or a third-country national) who is locally resident and has legal and/or permanent resident status within the host country and/or who is a holder of a non-diplomatic visa/work and/or residency permit; and/or
- Is subject to host country employment and tax laws.